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AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In complete response to the final Official Action mailed on February 27, 2001,
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In The Claims:

Please replace claims 18, 23, 25, 29, 33, 36-38, and 41-43 as follows:

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18. (Amended) A method of treating an animal with a bioactive agent
comprising administering to said animal a liposome composition, wherein said liposome
composition induces an adverse physiological reaction in said animal in the absence of an
anti-inflammatory agent, and wherein said liposome composition comprises a liposome